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Application No. 10/720,594

Filed: November 24, 2003

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Art Unit: 3661

Examiner: Thu V. Nguyen

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

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Petitioner respectfully requests a 3-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Official Action dated July 18, 2006 to expire January 18, 2007. Authorization for the charge of \$1,020.00 to cover the 3-month extension of time fee is provided on the attached transmittal form.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3786. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

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